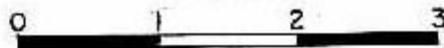


**MIDAS # 0401**  
**PEQUAWKET LAKE**  
**(FORMERLY RATTLESNAKE POND)**

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87 ACRES



TENTHS OF MILE

# PEQUAWKET LAKE

(Rattlesnake Pond)

Brownfield, Twp., Oxford Co.

U.S.G.S. Hiram, Me. (7.5')

## Fishes

Largemouth bass  
Smallmouth bass  
White perch  
Yellow perch  
Chain pickerel  
Minnows  
Golden shiner

Common shiner  
Creek chubsucker  
White sucker  
Hornpout (bullhead)  
Pumpkinseed sunfish  
American eel

## Physical Characteristics

Area - 87 acres

Maximum depth - 20 feet

Temperatures:

Surface - 77°F

18 feet - 70°F

Principal fisheries: Largemouth bass, smallmouth bass, white perch, and chain pickerel

Pequawket Pond, formerly known as Rattlesnake Pond, is located of Route 113 and 5 in the Town of Brownfield. The pond is moderately developed and a small portion of it is divided from the main pond by railroad tracks. The physical characteristics of the pond and water quality parameters are best suited for management of the existing warmwater fish species. However, intermittent stockings of legal-sized brook trout occurred between 1962 and 1981 to create a "put-and-take" fishery.

There is no public access to Pequawket Pond, and anglers can only obtain access via permissive trespass. MDIFW considers public access a high priority and will continue to look for opportunities to create or improve access to Pequawket Lake.

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